

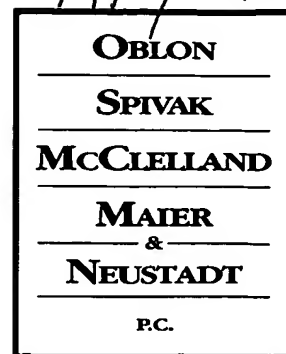


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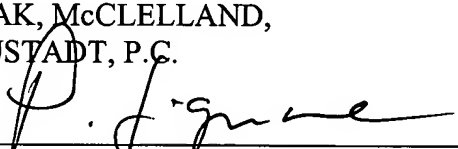
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In response to the Final Office Action dated July 13, 2005, reconsideration of the
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